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**REQUEST
FOR
CONTINUED EXAMINATION (RCE)
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Filing Date	December 26, 2001
First Named Inventor	Stephen Moxham
Art Unit	2826
Examiner Name	Alexander O. Williams
Confirmation Number	1417
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This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. 1.114 of the above-identified application. Request for Continued Examination (RCE) practice under 37 CFR 1.114 does not apply to any utility or plant applications filed prior to June 8, 1995, or to any design application. See Instruction Sheet for RCEs (not to be submitted to the USPTO) on page 2.

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- a. Previously submitted
- i. Consider the amendment(s)/reply under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 previously filed on _____ (Any unentered amendment(s) referred to above will be entered).
 - ii. Consider the arguments in the Appeal Brief or Reply Brief previously filed on _____
 - iii. Other
- b. Enclosed
- i. Amendment/Reply
 - ii. Affidavit(s)/Declaration(s)
 - iii. Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)
 - iv. Other

2. **Miscellaneous**

- a. Suspension of action on the above-identified application is requested under 37 C.F.R. 1.103(c) for a period of _____ months. (Period of suspension shall not exceed 3 months; Fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(i) required)

- b. Other

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- i. RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. 1.17(e)
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 - iii. Other: any underpayment
- b. Check in the amount of \$ 770 enclosed
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1001	770	2001	385	Utility filing fee
1002	340	2002	170	Design filing fee
1003	530	2003	265	Plant filing fee
1004	770	2004	385	Reissue filing fee
1205	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee
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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE				
Fee from Extra Claims below Fee Paid				
Total Claims	61	-124** =	0 X 18 =	0
Independent Claims	5	- 13** =	0 X 86 =	0
Multiple Dependent			=	0
SUBTOTAL (2) (\$)				

Large Entity Small Entity				
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1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	86	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	290	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	86	2204	43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
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